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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Examiner's phone call of January 4, 2005 please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.